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For: ENZYME ELECTRODE, )  
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SENSOR, FUEL CELL, )  
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AND ELECTROCHEMICAL )  
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--Kawasaki-shi, JAPAN--.

The residence for the second-named inventor should read:

--Atsugi-shi, JAPAN--.

In addition, the Filing Receipt contains errors in the title of the invention.

The title should read:

--ENZYM E ELECTRODE, SENSOR, FUEL CELL, AND  
ELECTROCHEMICAL REACTOR--.

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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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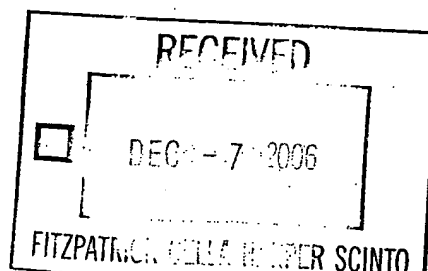
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Title

Enzyme electrode, sensor, fuel cell, and electrochemical reactor

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